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Aug. 29, Beyn Ivar, British barque, 382, Dawaell, Kurrachee, July 7, 1872 bales. Ang. 29. Candace, N. G. 3-mast schooner, 233 Meinschien, Newcastle, July 17, 5000 picula Beans .- WM. PUSTAU & Co. Aug. 29. Kun-Soon-Woot, Siam lugger. 225, Olsen, Bangkok, Aug. 12, General.

Aug. 29, Eastern Star, Brit. barque, 340, Allardice, Löndon, May 13, General. -Aug. 29. Vision, British brig, 159, Cummins, Newchwang, July 17, 3800 piculs

Beans, -Hood & Co. Aug. 29, New Granada, N. G. barque, 830, Baner, Chefoo, July 14, General. EDUARD SCHELLHASS & Co. Aug. 30 Maria Louise Antoinette, Dutch barque, 507, Muysson, Hamburgh, April 23. General. -- BOURJAU HUBBNER & Co. Aug. 30, Java, N. G. barque, 309, Mag-

boll, Saigon, July 22, General.—ARNHOLD Larberg & Co. Ang. 30, Ocean Bride, British barque 333, Thelland, Ningpo, July 23, General.

#### Departures.

Aug. 29, Ganges, for Swatow, &c. Martha, for Tientsin. Violet, for Yokohama. Race Horse, for Tientain. 29, Marquis of Argyle, for Melbourn 30, United Service, for Shanghai.

### Shipping Reports.

The British barque Eastern Star, Capt. G: Allardice, from London, reports mode rate weather; crossed the Equator on 13th June, in long. 28 W.; passed the meridian of the Cape of Good Hope on 10th July, in lat. 40 S.; made St. Paul's Island on 25th July; off S.W. of St. Paul's had strong | Christy's Felt, Straw and Silk HATS. gales from W., which lasted for 2 days, Rowland's KALYDOR. then moderate and fine; made Java Head on 7th August, and passed Anjer on same day. Up China sea had light weather until 26th Aug., when had strong breeze from N.N.W. to S.S.E., veering E., which lasted for 14 hours, and then moderated; light winds and calms till arrival in port, on 29th Aug. 105 days out. On 26th July, in lat. 30:15 S. long. 83.11., spoke the British barque John George from Sunderland bound to Hongkong, 93 days out.

The Dut, barq. Maria Louise Antoinette, Capt. Muyeson, from Hamburg, reports fine weather; crossed the Equator on 2nd | Dr Syntax's TOUR. June, in lat! 27.23 W.; passed the meridian of the Cape of Good Hope on 3rd July, lat. 40.23 S!; made St. Paul's Island on 20th July and Christmas Island on 2nd August; passed Anjer on 6th August. China Sea fine weather until Pulo Sapato, when had bad weather and much rain, thence fine weather and light Southerly winds till arrival in port, on 30th August. 128 days out.

The British brig Vision. Cummins, from ght airs and calms; average daily run for 22 days about five miles per day; put into | Sheet ZINC. Amoy on 21st, inst., in company with the American 3-masted schooner C. C. Leary and Looling, from Chefoo bound to Swatow; left Amoy on 24th instant for Hongkoug.

The North German barone New Granada. Capt. Bauer, from Chefoo, reports fine weather and light Southerly winds nearly August, in lat. 26.17 N., long. 120.43 S. poke the North German brig Johanna, from Newchwang bound to this port.

# Entertainments.

LUSITANO THEATRE. MONDAY, AUG. 30.

GRAND FASHIONABLE, NIGHT. UNDER PATRONAGE.

COMEDIES—COMEDIES. PERSONATION,

ROMEO & JULIET, QUEEN MAB.

MARY, QUEEN OF SCUTS. THE GEM OF COMEDY,

A MORNING CALL Box Plan and Tickets at Mesars LANE, CHAWFORD & Co. Hungkong, August 25, 1869.

New Advertisements

JEITHER the Captain or Agents of the British Barque "KILLARNEY" be RESPONSIBLE for any Debts contracted by the Crew of the said Vessel. BIRLEY & Co. Hongkong, August 30, 1869.

# New Advertisements.

三月八年九十六百八千一英

FOR SWATOW, AMOY, NINGPO AND SHANGHAL Taking Cargo under through Bill of Lading FOR CHEFOO, TIENTSIN AND

The N. C. S. Co.'s Chartered will leave for the above Ports at 4 P.M., To-morrow, the 31st instant For Freight or Passage, apply to

DUTCH BARQUE MARIA LOUISA ANTOLNETTE, FROM HAMBURG. ONSIGNEES of Cargo by above named vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate

delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at consignees BOURJAU, HUBENER & Co.

Hongkong, August 30, 1869. "BASTERN STAR" FROM LONDON ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above named vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessol

will be landed and stored at Consignees risk and expense. GILMAN & Co. Hongkong, August 30, 1869.

EX "INVINCIBLE." DASS'S Draught ALE. Copeland's TOILET SERVICES. A Child's SWING.

Chest EXPANDERS and DOTOSTHE-Croquet SETS and STANDS. Eley's CAPS and CARTRIDGES. BLANKETS and FLANNELS.

Rugby FOOTBALLS. Brass BEDSTEADS. Mast HOOPS. Fire GRATES, FENDERS and IRONS. Coir MATS, with Fancy Borders.

Carriage LAMPS, Office and Dinner BELLS. Handsome CHROMO-LITHOGRAPHS Perry's Office SUNDRIES.

Baking POWDER and GELATINE. Mordan's Copying PRESSES.

Whyte. Melville's, Mr Riddle's, Ouida's, Trollope's, Mrs Wood's, Wilkie Collins', Mrs Gaskell's, Edmond Yates', Charles Reade's, Lever's, Ainsworth's, Miss Braddon's, Disraeli's, Salem Chapel Series, and other recent and STAN-DARD NOVELS, in paper binding.

Chambers' ENCYCLOPŒDIA. French NOVELS. Schiller's WORKS, in German. Carpenter's SYNONYMS. Anderson's Mercantile CORRESPON

DENCE. French and English DICTIONARIES.

Dawson's BOOTS. Waterlow's STATIONERY

Single and Double PERAMBULATORS. Horse HAIR. Pickled TONGUES, from Sherwood and

Mordan's Letter SCALES. WHEELS of LIFE. Heidsieck's Dry CHAMPAGNE. Hennessy's one and three star BRANDY. Swaine's Ginger BRANDY. Henry's CANVAS, Frost's ROPE.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, August 30, 1869. THE LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

SHORT PERIOD RATES.

\*THE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against Fire at the rate of Ith of the annual charge, viz : ith per cent for any term, not exceeding ten days.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Hongkong, August 28, 1869.

THE following Select and Fashionable out, ex Diomed and Overland Mail, vig of the annual premium on Insurances ered against Fire to the extent of \$8,000, The Dung of Edinburgh, Upper Tax effected for any term not exceeding Tex until 6th August, 1870. THOUSAND, and Volkameria, &c. &c. THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY.

Hougkong, August 27, 1869. FOR SALE. ULES ROBIN COGNAC, in cases, WM. PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, August 26, 1869.

FOR SALE.

TRESH Californian HAY and OATS. RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, August 21, 1869.

## New Advertisements.

AND

NEWCHWANG.

UNDER THE PATRONAGE OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR LADY MACDONNELL

Mr. W. P. FLOYD his collection Life size Photographic Portraits Water Colors or Oil

Hongkong, August 7, 1869.

CONSULAR NOTIFICATION HE Undersigned, in pursuance of the instructions of His Excellency Her Britannic Majesty's Minister at Peking, on Monday, the 14th June, 1869, took over charge of British interests at the Ports o Taewanfu and Takow, and entered on his luties as Acting Consul.

BRITISH CONSULATE, Taewantu, June 15, 1869. MR. GLASSE begs to call attention to a

VI few out of a large number of recently imported articles, viz :--GAZOGENES, and SELTZOGENES, India Rubber SPONGES, elastic STOCK-INGS and Knee CAPS, Champagne TAPS Feeding BOTTLES, Rimmel's and Bully's of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Toilet VINEGAR, Spring Top Union Smelling BOTTLES, Flesh GLOVES of every description, Boudault's and Morson's PEPSINE: Chlorodyne LOZENGES, Sulphyric and other ACIDS, NITRATE OF, SILVER, CHLORIDE OF LIME, Burnett's Disinfecting FLUID, Lime JUICE,

THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY. Hongkong, August 27, 1869. HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. HE Undersigned are prepared to accept

risks in the above Company for period of Ten Days on Merchandize stored in first class Godowns, at one eighth of one JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Managers. Hongkong, August 26, 1869. IN THE SUPREME COURT OF

HONGKONG. IN BANKRUPTCY. In re LOAW-WAH-THIAW, a Bankrupt. TOTICE.—The above named Bankrupt IN having passed his last examination the hearing of the application by the said Bankrupt for his discharge, stands adjourned to Wednesday, the First day of September 1869, at Eleven o'clock in the forencon.

Ex "Diomed" and "Overland Mail." MAISS ROSE has received a choice as-Vas sortment of Ladies' BONNETS and HATS. Tulle HAT and Bonnet SHAPES Infants' white silk BONNETS and HOODS, Children's Sun HATS in all sizes. Satin and Taffeta SASH and other R1B BONS in great variety.

BELTING in all shades. Black and colored FICHUS. Blonde LACES. Muslin INSERTION and TRIMMING French FLOWERS, OSTRICH & FAN-OY FEATHERS. Berlin WOOL WORK,

Smoking CAPS, &c. Ladies' and Children's BOOTS & SHOES. HENDRIE'S PERFUMERY. &c., &c. WELLINGTON STREET,

Opposite the Catholic Chapel. Hongkong, August 26, 1869. ILLUMINATIONS, TRANSPARENCIES, TRIUMPHAL

AROHES. And other DECORATIONS; For the approaching visit of HIS, ROYAL HIGHNESS THE DUKE OF EDINBURGH.

THE Undersigned is now prepared execute orders for the above. All information in reference thereto, can be obtained from Messrs Wilson & Salway.

JOHN B. HOLLAND, Scenic Artist &c. Hongkong, July 5, 1869.

TUDSON'S SIMPLE DYES of every hue can be had at THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY. Hongkong, August 27, 1869. NOTICE.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned are authorised DAYS.

ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Hongkong, August 11, 1869.

TEITHER Capt. SCHMIDT or the Undersigned will be Responsible for any Debts contracted by the Crew of the N. G. EDUARD SCHELLHASS & Co., Agents N. G. Ship " Adler." Hongkong, July 19, 1869,

## New Advertisements.

IN THE ESTATE OF DOUGLAS LAPRAIR, Deceased DEOBATE of the last Will and Testament of Douglas Laprair, formerly of Hongkong and lately of Acton, deceased, having been granted to the Undersigned, one of the Executors in the said Will named,

NOTICE.

All persons Indebted to the said Estate are hereby required to pay the amount of their debts forthwith. Persons having lito the Undersigned, at the Office of Messra DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., or, to HENRY C. CALDWELL, Esquire, Solicitor, on or before the Sist day of January 1870, after which date no Claims will be received or admitted Dated Hongkong, 9th day of July, 1869.

TO BE LET FROM 1st SEPTEMBER TINE SHOP adjoining the HONGKONG DISPENSARY; and the Gas Co,'s late

Office, over the DISPENBARY. Hongkong, August 17, 1869.

NOTICE.

DENT & Co.'s ESTATE.

THIRD DIVIDEND of Seven per unon the amount of al Claims admitted by the Trustees will b paid on the 25th September next. On application at the Office of the Trus tees, No. 7, Pedder's Hill, Creditors will be for Invalids and Travellers, Bathing CAPS furnished with warrants signed by the and Sponge BAGS, Nursing APRONS and Trustees which will be payable at the Office

Corporation. Hongkong, August 7, 1869.



TTER Majesty's Vessel RIFLEMAN  $\square$  and the Gun Boats WEAZEL and BUSTARD will be sold by Auction a the Naval Yard, Hongkong, on THURSDAY.

the 18th November, 1869. The following are the particulars: "Rifleman," 486 Tons, 100 Horse Power.—She is three mast schooner ri ged (standing wire rigging complete), has all her Masts and Yards, one suit of Sails, two Anchors, one hundred and sixty-two fathoms of Chain Cable, Davits. Stanchions, etc. The Boilers (2 in no.) are good; but the Engines require

" Weazel," 235 Tons, 60 Horse Power. The Engines are in good working order.—The Boilers (3 in no.) are unfi for high pressure. She has one Anchor Chain Cable, one Downton's Pump; but

no Masts, Yards or Sails. " Bustard," 234 Tons, 60 Horse Power -The Engines are in good working order. The Boilers (3 in no.) are considerably worn but repairable. She has one Anchor, Chain Cable, Awnings, one Downton's Pump and Firehearth; but no Masts, Yards or Sails. Further particulars can be obtained

on application to the Undersigned. ALFD. H. PRICE, Naval Storekeeper. NAVAL YARD.

Hongkong, August 28, 1869. PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received in structions to sell by Public Aucon, on the Premises, on WEDNESDAY

the 15th September, 1869, at Noon, unless disposed of previously by Private Contract.)-All those Pieces or Parcels of LAND,

with 40 Chinese Houses standing thereon, situated near the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Factory, Syingpoon, and registered in the Land Office, as Inland Lots 634 and

Inland Lot 634, measuring North on Second Street, Syingpoon, 105 feet South on Third Street, Syingpoon, 105 feet : East on a close Inland Lot, No. 635, 150 feet; West on Government Ground, 150 feet, in all 15.7.0 square et. Annual Crown rent, \$138.84.

Inland Lot 680, measuring North on Second Street, Syingpoon, 521 feet; South on Third Street, Syingpoon, 521 feet; East on a close Inland Lot, No. 634, 150 feet; West on a close Inland Lot, No. 624, 150 feet; in all 7,875 square feet, Annual Crown rent, \$69.42.

The whole of the Property is now let PERFUMES, have just been opened 1 accept the reduced rate of One Eighth at a monthly rental of \$100, and is cov-Further particulars may be obtained

upon application to the Undersigned; TERMS OF SALE. One-third of the purborne by the purchaser. C. D. BOTTOMLEY,

Auctioneer. Hongkong, August 25, 1869.

#### Auctions.

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PUBLIC AUCTION. ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, in their Sales Rooms. Queen's Road, on

THURSDAY, the 16th September, at 4 p.m.,-(The property of the late Mr Margesson),—

The Brown Arab Horse CHARLEY (Both quiet to ride or drive, and have WINTER, Master, expected from carried a lady). A Four wheel DOG CART, with the above Port, on THURSDAY NEXT,

Hood and fitted with Pole and shafts. the 2nd of September, at 5 p.m. either for one horse or a pair. A Set of Silver Plated Single HAR.

NESS (almost new).

BITS, CLOTHING, Driving and Riding WHIPS, etc., etc. TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7 All lots, with all faults and errors of description, at Purchaser's risk on th fall of the hammer. Hongkong, August 23, 1869.

# Banks.

HONGKONG & SHANGUAL BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE DIVIDEND declared for the half year ended 30th June last, at the rate f Twelve per cent per annum, say \$7.50 per paid-up Share of \$125, and \$1.50 per Share on which \$25 have been paid, is payable on and after THURSDAY the 19th instant, at the Offices of the Corporation, where Shareholders are requested to apply for Warrants.

By order of the Court of Directors. VICTOR KRESSER, Chief Manager. Hongkong, August 16, 1869.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-ING CORPORATION.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. OTICE is hereby given that the Unpaid Capital of One Hundred Dollars per Share on the 20,000 New Shares of the Corporation's Stock will fall due on dates following, viz.:—

On 1st July, 1869, 1at July, 1870, 1st Jan., 1872 lst Jan., 1873,

Shareholders electing to pay the whole or any portion of the above Calls by anticipation will receive interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, payable half-yearly, until the respective dates at which the Calls shall fall due, and receipts for such payments will be issued at the Head Office and Branches.

By Order of the Court of Directors, VICTOR KRESSER, Chief Manager. Hongkong, March 2, 1869.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-ING CORPORATION, SUSSCRIBED CAPITAL, FIVE MILLIONS OF

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman-GEO. F. HEARD, Esq. Deputy Chairman-Julius Menke, Esq. GEORGE J. HELLAND, Hon. J. B. TAYLOR. A. JOOST, Esq. WILLIAM LEMANN, J. P. DUNCANSON,

W. H. FORBES, Esq. RICHARD ROWETT, S. D. SASSOON, Esq. Esq. E. R. Belilios, Esq.

VIOTOR KRESSER, Esq. Hongkong, . Chief Manager. DAVID MACLEAN, Enq. LONDON BANKERS. - London and County

HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED AN Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of 1 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

On Fixed Deposits :---

For 3 months, 2 per cent. per annum. 4 per cent. 5 per cent. ,, ,, LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Ovedits granted on approved Securities and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts, granted on London, and the

Australia, America, China and Japan. VICTOR KRESSER. Chief Manager. Offices of the Corporation, No, I, Queen's Road East. Hongkong, January 1, 1869.

chief Commercial places in Europe, India,

DR. VARNUM D. COLLINS. chase money to be paid on fall of the HOLDING a Diploma from the Philadelhammer, the remaining two-thirds on phis Dental College, resumes the countersignature, and to take immediate completion of Transfer, within Ten days practice of his profession at Hongkong. delivery of their Goods. of Sale. All expenses of Transfer to be Office and Residence, 59, Wyndham Street; but patients visited at their homes if deaired. All diseases of the teeth treated, and artificial work inserted on gold, silver,

vulcanite and Allen's continuous gum.

Hongkong, June 14, 1869.

### Shipping.

STEAM TO SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. PHE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s S. S. will have immediate despatch for the above

PRICE, \$24 PER ANNUM.

W. MACAULAY, Hongkong, August 27, 1869.

FOR SHANGHAL The German steamer "CHINA," Canton, will be despatched for

For Freight or Passage, apply to Hongkong, August 28, 1869.

A Set of Silver Plated Double HAR- FOR SWATOW, AMOY, & FOOCROW, A Gentleman's SADDLE AND TWO Captain Toppin, will have immediate despatch for the

above Ports. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, August 27, 1869.

STEAMER DIOMED FOR LONDON. Positive engagements to the extent of 400 Tons of Cargo, 300 Tons of which may consist of Drugs, can be made in the above steamer on or before the 30th instant, after which date applications can only be noted pending the arrival of the steamer from Shanghai.

For Freight or Passage, apply to Hongkong, August 24, 1869.



Hongkong, August 23, 1869.

FOR NEW YORK. The American ship 3/3 A 11 at Venter, will have despatch from Whampon for the above port, and has room for a limited amount of freight at £1.17.6

per ton of 40 feet. For Freight, apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, August 21, 1869.

FOR SINGAPORE The First-class French brig Capt. Elie, will have quick despatch for the above port. For Freight or Passage, apply to FREDERIC DEGENAER. Hongkong, May 25, 1869,

FOR MANILA. The Spanish brig PERELLO, Master, will have For Freight and Passage, apply to REMEDIOS & Co. Hongkong, August 16, 1869.

FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American Clipper-ship B. F. SHERBURNE, Master, having the greater portion of her cargo engaged, will load here and at Whampos, and have immediate despatch For Freight, apply to OLYPHANT & Co.

Hongkong, July 9, 1869. FOR NEW YORK. The North German Barque "DOCTOR PETERMANN," FREDERICKS Master, having the greater portion of her cargo engaged, will load here and at Whampoa, and have immediate despatch for the above For Freight, apply to

OLYPHANT & Co.,

Hongkong, August 18, 1869. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The British ship "NORTH STAR," will have quick despatch for the above port. For Freight or Passage, apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

Hongkong, July 13, 1869. FOR HAMBURG (DIRECT.) The North German ship " ADLER," Captain Sounder, having the greater part of her cargo engaged, will load here and at Whampoa and Macao

for the above port, and will meet with quick despatch. For Freight, apply to WM. PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, August 16, 1869.

P. M. S. S. Co's STR. "AMERICA" FROM SINGAPORE. ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the abovenamed Vessel are requested to send in

Cargo impeding the discharge of the yearsel will be landed and stored at Consigneer risk and expense. T. A. HARRIS,

Hongkong, August 21, 1869,

New Advertisements.

VICTORIA REGATTA CLUB

Committee.

MEETING, 1869.

WEDNESDAY, 24TH NOVEMBER, 1869.

FIRST RACE.-1 P.M. For Single Pair

Sculling Boats." Distance 1 mile: Prize

\$50.00. (4) o be competed for by men

who have never won a sculling race in

China or Elsewhere. Entrance fee,

 $\mathbf{S_{ECOND}}$  Race. -1.30 P.M. For Boats pulled

ciate as coxswains if necessary.

a half. Prize the Chairman's Cup.

Gigs. Distance 1 mile. Prizes : 1st

Boat; \$20; 2nd, \$10.00. Time for

Oars. Entries received by R. F.

Hawke, Esq., until noon on Monday.

22nd November. Entrance fee, \$1.00

and 2 Pair Soulling Boats. Distance I

mile. Prize, the "American Cup."

FIFTH RACE. -3.30 P.M. For Pair Cars

Value ..... Entrance fee, \$5.00.

SAILING RACE.—For all Open Boats, Chinese

HARBOUR VACHT RACE. -- For all Yachts.

SECOND DAY.

IRST RACE. - 1 P.M. For Men-of-war Cut-

ters. Distance 1 mile. First Boat,

\$20.00; 2nd, \$10.00. Entrance fee,

Hawke, Esq., until noon on Monday,

for Oars. Entries received by the

Secretary until noon on Monday, 22nd

by Non Commissioned Officers or Men

of any Corps in Garrison. Distance 1.

mile. Time for oars. Prizes: 1st

Boat, \$20; 2nd, \$5. Winners of No.

2, First day, excluded. Entrance fee.

Canton Cutters. Distance 1 mile.

IXTH RACE.-4 P.M. For Four-Oared

FIFTH RACE. -3.30 P.M. For Boats pulled

SECOND RACE. -1.30 P.M. For Single Pair

Entries received by R. F.

THURSDAY, 25TH NOVEMBER, 1869.

excepted. First Boat, \$25.00; second;

\$10.00. Course to be specified here-

Particulars of course, &c. to be named

Entrance fee, \$1.00.

after. Entrance, \$2.

hereafter.

the 22nd Nov.

Entrance fee, \$10.00,

Nov. Entrance fee, \$1.00.

value \$250. Entrance fee, \$10.00.

FOURTH RACE: -3 P.M. For Men-of-war

NAME OF LANGE OF

FIRST DAY,

The Hon, J. B. TAYLOR, Chairman.

R. F. HAWKE, Esq.

W. H. FORTER, Esq.

T. G. LINSTEAD, Esq.

JOHN FAIRBAIRN, Esq.

E. L. Woodin, Esq.

NOTICE.

'HE following cases have been landed and stored at the risk and expense the Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery.

Ex "Cambodge," 2d February, 1869. GFC 15985 . 1 case Chemicals. Ex "Donnai," 26th July, 1869. JC 4 . . . . . . . 1 case Effects. Ex " Hoogly," 23rd August, 1869. . 1 case Bedding. VE 3 . . . 1 case Baggage.

1 Portmanteau C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent. Hengkong, August 28, 1869.

ES 29/38 TEN CASES MERCHANDIZE, Ex Maria Elizabeth. HIPPED by Messrs GERLANLET & Co. and consigned to order, have bee landed and stored for account and risk the Consignees, and if not taken delivery of before 10th September, 1869, will 1 sold at public auction to cover freight and

MELCHERS & Co. Hongkong, August 28, 1869.

Notices of Firms.

HE interest and responsibility of the late Mr. HENRY DAVIES MARGESSON in our Firm ceased on the 30th June last and Mr MORTIMER LVELYN MURBAY was admitted a partner therein on 1st July.

MARGESSUN & Co. Hongkong, August 2, 1869.

AOTICE. MR. FRITZ RAPP, has been duly authorised to sign our Firm per Procuration from this date. F. BLACKHEAD & Co. Hougkong, June 15, 1869.

NOTICE,

HAVE this day established myself as a A POBLIC ACCOUNTANT, AVERAGE AD-JUSTER and GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT. C. LANGDON DAYIES. Hongkong, July 1, 1868.

HAVE established myself at Kobe, and

GENERAL AGENT. HENRY LUCAS. Hongkong, April 16, 1869.

NOTICE. 17 E have authorized Mr CLAUS BUDDS VV to sign our Firm from this date. DREYER & Co. Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

NOTICE

Fi-HE Business of KINNEAR & Co., Foochow, will be carried on from and after this date under the style and firm of KINNEAR, LARKEN & Co. the partners therein being, Mr WILLIAM Balfour Kinnear and Mr Thomas Lan-CASTER LARKEN.

WILLIAM BALFOUR KINNEAR. Foochow, May 1, 1869.

- NOTICE.

MAR LEONHARD STAEL has been admitted A Partner in our Firm from this date. The Barrier of the HESSE & Co. Hongkong, July 1, 1869.

HONGKONG HOTEL

TAROM this date the Management of the Hongkong Hotel is placed in charge of Mr George E. Potts, to whom all communications should be addressed. YEE-WO & Co.

Hougkong Hotel, April 1, 1869...

For Sale

FOR SALE. TRUCH-FOUCHER & Co,'s CHAMPAGNE, Carte d'Or VOGEL HAGEDORN & Co. Hongkong, August 23, 1869.

FOR SALE, Ex "Samuel Russell." ORDEN'S Condensed MILK (Fresh). Ex " Chusan" Scotch SALMON, Findon HADDOCKS and LOBSTERS, in 1 lb. Tins. Also a choice variety of SOUPS in 1 lb. Tins.

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Under power contained in the Mortgage LL those valuable Premises situate in Hongkong, abutting on Queen's Road n the South, and partly on the Praya on

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The steam-ship Captain Toppin, will leave for the above Ports, on FOUNDERS, SHIPS' SMITHS, and GENERAL Best Holland GIN in small and large THURSDAY, the 2nd September, at 2 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, August 80, 1869,

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Bass & Co., in wood and bottle. BARCLAY PERKINS & Co., in hogsheads, Guiness' extra DUBLIN STOUT, by & T. Burke, in quarts and pints. GINGER BRANDY, GINGER WINE TRANGE BITTERS.

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ABLES, of every description. Yellow Split PEAS, Regulation LIME JUICE, BLACKLEAD, PLUMBAGO, PUMIÓE-STONE, etc. etc. LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, August 30, 1869.

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-News Agents. Hongkong, August 19, 1869.

NOTICE, BILLIARD ROOM, LONDON INN.

HIS Billiard Room will be Closed fromdate until the 19th August, for further improvements.

G. W. SHELLING, Hongkong, August 9, 1869.

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CALIFORNIA. THE Occidental Hotel having been recently improved and refurnished, is now in complete order in all its appoint-

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Hongkong, July 1, 1869,

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Full particulars of Prize, Course, &c., will be duly announced. HIS Establishment having been entirely The above programme is subject to any changes the Committee may see necessary to make: Weights, Colours, and names of each Crew for presentation prizes for Rowing | Wear. must be stated on entering boats.

All entries (not otherwise specified) must be made to the Hon. Secretary on or before the 15th November, 1869. The races will commence each day at 1 F.M., and Tiffin will take place on board the Flag Ship each day after the Second Race.

WILLIAM LEGGE, : Hon. Sec. V. R. C. Hongkong, August 24, 1869.

SAIL MAKING!! 117 ILLIAM DOLAN having returned to Hongkong, has resumed his business of SAIL MAKING in all its branches, at his old place in Duddell Street, and solicits the patronage of the Public. He has on hand a fine assortment of 8

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Interest at the rate of 12% per annum will be charged after the above date. N. B.—The Scrip Receipts for the FIRST CALL, as well as those above referred to, will be exchanged for Share Certificates of the Company as soon as the necessary forms are received from England, due notice o which will be given to the Shareholders.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers, Hongkong, June 14, 1869.

FOR SALE.

IXTH RACE. 4 P.M. For House Boats AT THE "CHINA MAIL" OFFICE pulled by Chinamen. Distance 1 mile. Prizes: 1st Boat, \$15.00; 2nd, \$5.00. THE following SETS of the "CHINA SEVENTH RACE. 4.30 P.M. For Four PUNCH" can be obtained, stitched Oared Canton Cutters. Distance 1 mile. in paper wrappers, at the rate of 25 cents

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J. W. WOOD,

Club Chambers, Hongkong, July 20, 1869.

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The "China Mail" Office. 2, Wyndham Street, Hongkong,

# LATEST SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

Aug. 30, San Lorenzo, Spanish brig, 270, P. Ledesma, Manila, Aug. 23, General. Remedios & Co.

Aug. 30, Unadilla, U.S.G., from Macao. Aug. 30, Sultan, British barque, 520, Moss, Borneo, Aug. 9, General. THOMAS

CLEARED.

Deerfoot, for Foochow. Matador, for Saigon. Ragna, for Whampos.

SHIPPING REPORTS

The British barque Sultan, Capt. Moss. reports the first part of passage had strong S.W. monsoon and heavy sea, thence fine weather and light variable winds.

The Spanish brig Son Lorenzo, Captain P. Ledesma, from Manila, reports fine weather and steady S.W. monsoon all the passage to Hongkong. When the San Lorenzo left Manila, on 23rd August, the steam-ship Manila had not arrived. The Manila left this port on the 19th, but it may be remembered that she was reported "under sail" on the 20th, "something having apparently gone wrong."

POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS. MAILS WILL CLOSE:-

For SHANGHAL .-Per "CHINA," on Thursday next, the 2nd September, at 4.30 P.M. For SWATOW, AMOY, NINGPO AND SHANGHAI.

Per "TAPANGNYO," To-morrow, the 31st Instant, at 3.30 P.M. It is hereby notified for general information that henceforward closed mails for the United Kindom will be made up at this Office and forwarded to London by the Un-

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F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General. General Post Office.

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F. W. MITCHELL Postmaster General. General Post Office. Hongkong, June 18, 1868.

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MONGRONG, MONDAY, AUG. 30, 1869.

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The last American Minister. Mr Ross

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that of other powers; though were it our

object not merely to refute falsehoods

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Equally unfounded and untrue is the

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bog yet given to the world. These facts

Browne, has published the most antago-

to the constituency he represents. THAT some change in the financial de-POLICY. partments of the Colony was intended MR. LIDDELL's speech in the House of Commons on the 13th July is of a nature intention expressed by the Foreign to strest attention as being the first public Office to remove the auditorship of ten days' imprisonment. Consular accounts to Peking. stempt made by a member of Parliawould seem that this change is already ment to guess the motives, which, at the present moment, animate our Foreign Office in the policy toward China which it has recently inaugurated. It is hard to refrain from characterising his state into the Colonial Exchequer, directing ing, the request was renewed by the heart, and that he had taken the trouble to stion. them to henceforth pay them into the ments in language bordering on invective but we may state that they were untrue, Treasury, which latter, it would appear, unstatesmanlike and unworthy of any men who professes to possess any feelings to be abolished. The subordinate em ployes have already received notice to of patriotism or honor. Briefly conquit, and on the change coming into densed Mr Liddell's misrepresentations operation the functions of Colonial Treasmount to this (1) That the Treaty of sume, be merged in one individual. Tientsin being exacted by force, it was to are not in possession of the definite be hoped that we should not "insist in scheme adopted, but have reason to beadhering too rigidly to all its stipulalieve that the foregoing gives its chief outlines. Should the auditorship tions !" (2) That the United States were Consular accounts be transferred to entitled to our admiration and imitation, Peking, much needless waste of time having in all their intercourse with China and despatch writing will be saved. We can only hope that suitable proinvariably shown a conciliation, a pruvision will be made at the principal dence, and a conception of Chinese ports for providing the necessary supply feelings which fully entitled them to the of bullion so as not to necessitate the Tientsing Consul, for instance, being authority or influence they undoubtedly permitted to draw only from the bank possess; (3) That our policy has hitherto at Hongkong. In other respects simplification of having all Colonial been marked by the habit of violating government moneys in one depository the rights of the Chinese; (4) That is advantageous both to the colony and American trade received "special protection the bank. tion" in China, and that she was bound by all obligations of honor to protect LOCAL. China in the observance of international right; and finally (5) that if we offend THE Band of the 75th Stirlingshire Reg America out here it will be "awkward. will perform at the Public Gardens, on Now we may fairly appeal to American Tuesday, the 31st instant, commencing at residents in China as to the opinion which 5.30 P.M. The following is the procan alone be held on such language as this. So fully have they identified OVERTURE. "Prince of Wales.". Cavalling themselves with the opinions, almost un-QUADILLER, ..... 'Imperial, '... SELECTION .... "Fra Diavolo.". animously held by British residents, that WALTZ,..... "Farewell." we almost dare imagine that they will GALOP,..... "Cuckoo," as strongly condemn it, as we, the pic-GOD SAVE THE QUEEN, tured villains of the piece, most certainly do. However unnecessary it may be to traverse his arguments, as regards resi- This evening Miss Raynor and Mr Bennee dents here, they must be denied and will appear at the theatre of the Club Lusirefuted for the information of home readers. His first remark as regards the "Personation, or Fairly Taken In," treaty is so obviously puerile, applying as

W. J. Collender, Band Master. Their programme commences with "drawing room performance," comprises selections from "Romeo and it does to every treaty ever yet made

Juliet." the Balcony Scene and the descrip-

tion of Queen Mab's vagaries in Dream

land.

The whole to conclude with "

ignorance or his dishonourable conduct.

Morning Call." The South African and ments complained of involve such trifles Straits journals warmly commend the peras murder, robbery, violence, extortion, formances by Miss Raynor and Mr Bennee. With much pleasure we copy the following mnonucement from Saturday's Government Gazette :- His Excellency Sir Richard Graves MacDonnell, C.B., has been pleased to appoint provisionally, until Her Majesy's pleasure may be known, Richard Rowett, Esquire, to be a member of the Legislative Council of Hongkong, vice the Honorable Henry John Ball, absent or

THERE are missionary difficulties in India as well as in China, but they are not so severe in the former as in the latter country. Of Cashmere we are told that, last vear, the Medical Missionary Doctor Elmslie observed that the opposition on derably abated. They seemed afraid to oush matters to the same extent as in the previous year: "They are now aware that the attention of the English nation has been drawn to Cashmere by recent events. and they are afraid that they may have gone a little too far in their opposition to any "special protection" in China, nor do | the Mission and in their oppression of the people." Some attempt, judeed; was made to frighten the people by denouncing the Mission dispensary at the different mosdues, and threatening divorce to any man or woman who should visit it. These fulmust be civil to China lest American minations do not appear to have been much rengeance overtake us. is both laughable | heeded, and the Dispensary and its Misand gratuitously insolent to British sub- sionary held on their unostentatious course lects in the East, laughable from the with increasing popularity, throughout the fact that, so far from disapproving our season.

A Chinaman was caught this formour of the advantages for which our "policy | the convicts in the chain-gang. Defendant of force" opened the way. We say this, of course pleaded that he did not know he we imply no dielegate in the delegate and saked by the convict's brother to convey we imply no dishonour in their doing so, the parcel.—Fined \$1, or 7 days' impri-

so long as they do not taunt as with sonment. action which has resulted in their own | Choong Asing, a shop coolie, was one of Edvantage. This happily is not now the four who were engaged in a very ourlous charge having been made against him of line of conduct taken by United States robbery at Kowloong, from the Charcoal suspicion of having been concerned in an readents, though until lately the papers Manufactory there. It appears that, about armed attack on P. C. Jeremiah Foley's of the Republic were in the habit of vilifying British action and British policy as fer as possible where the papers of the habit of bones are used for the time, and his wife and another woman hey as far as possible. The reaction Manufacture of animal charcoal by the East were all who were in the house. The lottonately created by the Burlingame Point Sugar Refinery; and Mr Workman, thieves plundered the house, and then Justo has to a great extent shewn that foreman of the works, who was on the pre- made off, not having lajured any of off interests are in the main iden mises, when he missed the bones, gave the inmates. Upon the other constables tical, and that, save in the friendly rivally chase to the robbers, whom he saw packing over there having been informed of the of trade, there need be little attempt to the ourious property on the top of the hill robbery, they scoured the adjacent hills, indulge in feelings of an antagonistic at once started to run, but Workman did search. Defendant ran away when he was so too, and finally after a run of two miles seen, and was caught only after a long

but Mr | he had nothing to do with the bones; he | he is an old offender, and bears the Gaol | itself to their minds, and through them | to proselytize to a certain "set of dogmas," ignorance, or having been bought over of four months' hard labor. to Mr Burlingame's pretended views.

On account of the Sing-song, a large 6th prox., for further evidence. The former supposition leaves his honestypatriotic feeling a man may be, he may yet find a seat in the British Parliament. sessing any knowledge of the matter discussed who will not agree with us that Mr Liddell is a disgrace either from his

Oriental Bank instead of the Colonial mother was dying, as usual, and he was so ed until to-morrow. sorrowful over the domestic calamity, etc., as a receptacle for bullion, is henceforth etc. Mr G., his master, let him go, and the promise was repeated by defendant that he would be back on Thursday. Yesterday morning, Mr Guttierrez happened to go on board the Canton steamer Kinkiang, and was surprised to find his heart-broken gargon. surer and Auditor General will, we pre- busily engaged scrubbing a cabin-floor: he We had engaged himself as servant to the Chief Engineer. Defendant refused to return to his former employ, having evidently found a "better thing" on board the Kinking but the police soon got their hands on this bright youth, and he was accordingly charged. Mr G. distinctly stated on oath that defendant gave no notice, and left his bed and curtains as they were untouched. -- Defendant said he had given notice of his intended departure a month ago. - Mr May fined this gentleman \$20, in default one month's hard labour. The fine was

A Chinese porkseller was intercepted about tiffin-time yesterday in an interesting little pork expedition, under the following circumstances. He was discovered carrying a couple of baskets packed with seventy cattles (about 100 lbs.) of pig-flesh cut up into pieces as if ready for sale in a market. As this flesh (it was called pork) was at the time stinking and of an unusual colour, both the pork and the pork-manwere taken to the West Point Police Station. In answer to the Lokong who stopped the the employ of Stall No. 40 in the Western carefully cut up into pieces for the convenieuce of the sharks, remanded the case for

the Central Police Barracks. The robbery of the mischief of such arrogance as wearing the jacket. There were \$2.50 in | should be restrained in their operations, the pocket, and 100 loose cash, at the time | the nature of that hostility and the princiant is in charge of prisoners who clean out | tioned. the Police Barracks, and it was during he saw the silk jacket lying in the yard on | igners. And the causes of that hostil mitted a robbery in his life.—Mr May, accomplishment at last, for he sent him to

hard labor for six months they had erected matsheds in Hollywood buildings, contrary to the Ordinance 8 of Mr Hazeland appeared for the prosecution. It appears from Mr Alford's statements that, at Nos 168 and 152 Hollywood Road, matsheds had been erected. prejecting some ten or eight feet from the and a general illuminating festival was evidently in preparation. As he had fearnt that no permission had been obtained from the summonses were taken out. One of after the shed was put up, and permission was refused.—This same defendant stated fault 7 days' imprisonment.

Chun Hook was placed in dock, the the always repugnant to the feelings he caught the prisoner. In accordance chase. There was no evidence to clearly Pritish journalists to soones a man of with the invariable custom, prisoner swore connect the prisoner with robbery; but as

the cause, there is not one man alive pos- gambling. In fact, the lady (or sempstress) pose, whatever it may have been. On arri- and was by no means a new charge when tained, the hearts of the people are won, about to take place, as alterations are it appeared that, on Friday last, the "boy" proceeded against as above stated.—Mr on the walls of Ningpo and Hangchow, the spread of knowledge. already being made in the Treasury in question had asked leave to go home for May passed a flattering eulogium upon the that foreign opium is made by pounding But we shall be told that, however bene-Department. A circular has been issued a few days; but as this privilege had been boatman who had saved the old grand- the bones and flesh of coolies who had been ficial the presence of Missionaries might be to all Government employes, whose duty granted a month or two previous, the permother and her grandchildren. He was stolen from China for this purpose; and in the Interior, it almost inevitably brings it might at any time be to pay moneys mission was refused. On Saturday morn- glad to see that this said boatman had a are equally unworthy of grave-consider- with it complications between the Native defendant, with all that dramatic effect go to the assistance of a fellow-countrywhich Chinese "boys" can assume: his woman in distress.—The case was remand-

> IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

Court Paper for Tuesday, the 31st August, 1869, at 11 a.m. IN CHANCERY.

Compteir d'Escompte de Paris and another v. Rodger and others .- Argument of Special Case.

PROTESTANT MISSIONS IN ETTER TO H. E. SIR RUTHERFORD ALCOCK. Bu the British Protestant Missionaries

of Peking. PERING. July 14th, 1869. To H. E. SIR RUTHERFORD ALCOCK, K.C.B. H. M. Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary, Peking,

SIR,--In recent despatches to H. M Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, quoted by Lord Clarendon in the House of Lords, and commented on by the leading English newspapers, you have entered somewhat at length into the subject of Protestant Missions in China and we. Protestant Missionaries resident in Peking, desire to address you, and through you H. M. Government, on some of the points

brought forward by you. These despatches, copious extracts from which you have courteously furnished us "rogue's march," it was said by the bearer | with, strongly advocate a restrictive policy of the putrid pork that it had been killed with reference to Protestant Missionary westward and was being taken to the operations in the interior of China, prin-Choong-wan, i.e., the central district of the | cipally on the ground of the "implacable city; and that the pig had been bought for | hostility entertained by the Chinese Autho-Taels 7, but had died a natural death, and | rities and the official class in China towards had therefore been "killed" some time all Missionaries," and also because of the afterwards.—Inspector Burton (of markets) | injury that will accrue to our commercial stated his belief that the pork-man was in | relations with China, if missionaries are permitted to domicile themselves in the in-Market, the holders of which had taken the | terior. If Lord Clarendon's speech in the precaution of disappearing from the scene. House of Lords, on the 15th of April last, -Defendant admitted that his master is rightly reported in the London and China bought the pig, that the beast died, that it | Express, he states it as your opinion that "it was afterwards cut up, and that he (defend- is absolutely necessary that the mis ionaries ant) was told—to throw it into the sea. should not establish themselves in the in-His master had gone, he did not know | terior," and again that "it is expedient that where.—But Mr May, not believing that the Missionaries should confine themselves pork to be thrown into the sea would be so | to the Treaty Ports, exercising even there great judgment."

In regard to the first point, you have represented the arrogant pretensions of the Theodore Barclay, P. C. 183, was placed Roman Catholic Missionaries as one cause in dock on a charge of having stolen a silk of hostility to all Missionary labours. It is jacket the property of loking (No. 6), from no doubt one cause, and we are as conscious took place on the 26th or 27th, but the of- Your Excellency can be. But in giving fence was not traced to the constable until | the hostility of the Chinese to Missionaries | Saturday, when he was discovered to be as a reason why Protestant Missionaries it was stolen. It appears that the defend- pal causes of it should be distinctly men-

It is well known and understood in China these peregrinations that he fancied the that the hostility entertained by the Chijacket referred to. The jacket was found nese to Protestant Missionaries, is not dion the prisoner.—Defendant alleged that | rected against them as a class, but as Forethe 26th, and on Saturday he saw it are the hatred of other races which th again, so he put it on; he never com- Chinese have always had, the repeated de feats inflicted on the Chinese Governmen however, thought he had attained that by England, and the evils connected with

the opium trade. The Chinese look on Missionaries as re-Mr Alford appeared as complainant in presentatives of all foreigners, and all two summons cases against Chinese, in that | eigners they believe to be encroachers on the rights of others, seekers after money and Road to the danger of the neighboring territory, or opium sellers. Almost every abusive placard that has been issued against Protestant Missionaries, has charged them either with secret designs of conquest, or with being engaged in the coolie and opium trades, and making the teaching of virtue a cloak for these abominations. A Mis sionary was not long ago driven out of large city in the province of Honan by mob, led on by the native gentry, the cause of whose hatred to him was given in these the Surveyor General to build this erection. | words, shouted after him as he left the city. "You burned our Palace, you killed our Emperor, you sell poison to the people and now you come professing to teach us virtue." These charges sufficiently indicate that a subscription had been raised for the other and deeper, and to the Chinese, more evedent that, in both cases, permission had Catholic Bishops, or even the well known been obtained from the Registrar General and much to be deplored Protectorate of for a religious ceremony; but this by no Chinese Christians by France. Such means included matsheds and lanterns .-- charges shew beyond a doubt that the Both the defendants were fined £3, in de- Protestant Missionary suffers not as a Missionary, but as a foreigner. He suffers from a hostility which he has had no share in provoking. Mr Taylor's expulsion from Yangebow is a proof of this, inasmuch as the attack was made on him and his party before he had had time to commence Missionary operations. No general argument then against the establishment of Protescertain inland towns.

ments in our relations with the rulers and | be confined again to the open Ports? people of China."

As commerce is thus put into the fore- in the opening up of this country to Forground as the one only object of Great eigners and it rather becomes H. M. Repreand Silk exported from China to England and elsewhere. Let the following statistics speak for themselves :---

In 1867 the total amount of Indian 'Opium imported into China, was 88,148 pls., 25,582 of which were smuggled into China from Hongkong, In Silver the total value of this Opium was.....

In the same year (1867) the total amount of tea exported to all countries from China was 1,122,384 piculs, the value of which in Silver was. he total amount of Silk exported to all countries from China, during the same year, was 39,299 piculs, the value

of which in Silver was...... 15,724,380 otal value of Tea and Silk ex-

ported in 1867.....

This shows that the total value of the Tea and Silk exported from China to all countries, in 1867, exceeded the total value of the one article of Opium imported from India into China, chiefly by British Merchants, during the same year, only by about four and a half millions of tacls. then may be considered as the main branch of British Commerce in China, and, however opinions may differ as to the amount of injury inflicted by this drug, on those who use it, no one will defend it on the round of its being in any sense beneficial to the people. The Chinese themselves, whether they use it or not, regard it as injurious. The enormous advance of the amount imported from India, since early years of its introduction, is a cause, far more than a result, of the immense demand for it. It has given an impetus to the growth of the Native Opium, which, as in Szechuen, is gradually superseding the foreign article. Since the opening of the Yang-tze, the Native drug in the interior, has become one half cheaper, and the num ber of smokers has been trebled. "The cultivation of the poppy," said one the censors, in a Memorial recently dressed to the Emperor on this subject, "has been substituted for cereal producfestival, and this house (168) had been rent- generally understood causes of hostility Northern Provinces, so as in some parts to dian, a native journal. The bridegroom occasion a rise in the price of food." this and all the other injuries entailed by nath Dass, the bride a widow of the Aguri netrating into the interior! Missionary riage. The Mirror protests against the operations are represented as almost the ceremonies, which seem to have been a one obstacle to "progressive improvements," while it is implied that Commerce, and Rindooism, illustrating the worst if once freed from its connection with there operations, would only advance the cause

> people, as they but rarely learn their lan- not yet law, the parties seem to have added towards the end of last year, on the gates | the Native Population. Protestant Mis- marriage. of Shanghai, which you think showed "tin- sionaries learn the language, mix with the thistakeably what are the prevailing opi- people, and throw their influence all on respecting Christianity, as it has presented They go about not, as represented, merely dience.

Liddell's speech can have been prompted was only passing by.—Mr May, however, brand on the left ear, it is presumed that been conveyed to the common people, whom but to teach all whom they can reach the by but one of two motives—inconceivable thought the defendant had bad enough to he may be cognisant of the robbery upon they lead." "It is only indeed," you fur first great principles of morality, and to do with the bones as to justify a sentence | the veteran Yau-ma-ti constable's house— | ther say, "by the light of such documents | explain the desires and aims of the better The case was therefore remanded until the that we can see how it may be true, as has portion of the English in coming among been said, that the minds of the Chinese them. They have opened Hospitals for number (some 30) Chinese were up to-day | Chun Fook Sai and Foong Asai, a boat- are 'set like the nether-millstone' against | the healing of the sick, and they frequentunassailed, but permits us to conclude for having been abroad without a pass, man and his concubine, were charged by the teaching of Missionaries." The con- ly spend time, and health, and strength in that no matter how ignorant, how All were fined 50 cents, unless those who Captain Deane with having cut and wound- tents of the placard will, we think, hardly ministering to the physical wants of the empty-headed and dead to a spark of could show a "chit" from their employers. ed an old woman, owner of a sampan. It bear out such a statement as this. It was poor. They live among the Chinese on a A Chinese sempstress charged a Chinese would appear that the prisoners engaged directed principally against the Roman friendly footing, diffuse information, regambler with an assault. It appeared that the sampan—in which were the old woman | Catholics, and accused them of eating ba- | ceive the Chinese cheerfully in their houses, the parties had been living together as man and two grand-children—to take them to bies flesh and gouging out the eyes of the and constantly inculcate on them the prac-The second supposition, we put as the and wife, or otherwise, for some time, but Heung-ham about 3 o'clock in the day, and dying. This mode of attacking the Romish tice of virtue and religion. The native only other rational means of accounting that their domestic felicity has been much returned to near the Kellett's Island with- religion has become common on the part women are visited by the wives of the for Mr Liddell's speech. But, whichever disturbed by the man's confirmed habit of out having apparently effected their pur- of the heathen Chinese for many years, Missionaries, kindly intercourse is mainof his bosom called this man "a confirmed val in the harbor, near Kellet's Island, the the placard in question was issued. The and England, both in its lawful commerce gambler" and a lazy man who never did prisoners expressed a wish that the two same thing might occur in any city at any and its political interests, is only a gainer, any work. He wanted to pawn the poor girls should go down into the hold, to time. The ignorance of the native popul never a loser, by the residence among the woman's rattan-mat yesterday, which the which the grandmother objected. The fe- lation leads to the belief of such stories. Chinese of the Missionary families. The sempstress decidedly objected to. Enraged male prisoner then attempted to push one They have arisen from a misunderstanding more there is of this sort of influence the at the failure of his scheme thus to raise of the children down the hold; and when of the rites of baptism, the sacrament better it will be both for Chinese and funds, he cut up the mat to pieces and the old woman remonstrated, the male pri- of the Host, and extreme Unction. The English, and this will be especially the spoiled the pillow-box besides. Then he soner commenced to cut her head with a Protestant Missionaries are of course classed case in inland towns, "where Foreigners finished off by heating the poor sewing- knife and to quieten her generally. Cries with the Roman Catholics, and hence these are only known as devils" or "barbarians." woman. Defendant, who is known to the of "save life" were then raised; and a foolish charges against us. The ruling To have Protestant mission Hospitals and has long been known, the proximate police as a gambling loafer, accused the fishing junk passing at the time, the master classes know that these charges are false, Schools established in such cities, under complainant of unfaithfulness; but Mr heard them, lowered a toat, came alongside but they invent them for the purpose of the care of general and medical Mission-May imposed a penalty of 10/, in default and put a stop to the little tragedy going deluding the common people, and stirring aries, well qualified by education, such as on. Prisoners were then taken to the Police up their hatred to foreigners. They are of you have known during your long residence Mr L. J. Guttierrez, clerk to Union Dock | Chop near Jardine's, when luckily Captain | a piece with the notion, held by some of | in China, would work well—if it might not Company, appeared to charge his servant Deane happened to be on board. The the common people, and put forth some be shewn to be almost the only practical. with having absconded from his employ. prisoners were then taken in custody, and years ago in an anonymous placard posted method—for the removal of prejudice and

> and Foreign Governments, but this is not The injury that will accrue to our "ma. as we have shewn, because of the way in terial interests" in China, if missionaries | which Missionaries propagate Christianity; are permitted to domicile themselves in the nor is it on religious grounds at all, but interior, you give as another reason for simply because they are Foreigners. The restraining them from doing so. "Com- same troubles would have arisen, had a merce," you say, "its extension and free body of merchants or scientific men atdevelopment was the first great object of tempted to domicile themselves in those the Treaty of Tientsin." "It is futile to places out of which Missionaries have regraft on to a treaty of commerce a prosely- cently been driven. Our merchants are tizing agency for the conversion of the urging freer access to the interior, and even nation to Christianity." You entertain permission to reside in inland towns for strong opinions against "the wisdom of purposes of trade, and these demands canpresent efforts for the establishment of | not be put off much longer. When com-Protestant missions beyond the circle of plications arise between merchants penetrathe ports." You "have no doubt what- ting into the interior and the proud, Ignorever as to the risk incurred, and the evil ant ruling class, will the British Minister consequences to be anticipated from per- of that day argue that British commerce sistent efforts in this direction, upon all leads only to the embroiling of the two Gomaterial interests and progressive improve- | vernments, and advise that the merchants

> > Complications must arise from time to time

Britain in China, it ts impossible to refrain | nentatives in China to meet those difficulties. from asking what has been the nature of | and to try every moral means to overcome that commerce which we have forced upon | them, than to advise retrogression in the Chinese? Has it been such as only to order to get rid of them. And they benefit the people, or has it been such as | could not have a better opportunity to demoralize them? We fear that the of making this attempt, than in dealing result of British Commerce in China has with the set ling of Missionaries in the inrather had the latter effect than the for- terior. Protestant Missionaries ask for The main brunch of the British neither "gunboats" nor soldiers to protect Commerce in China is opium, an article | them. The use of force in connection with which the Chinese believe to have been the | Missionary operations is most abhorrent cause of our first war with China, and | to their feelings. All they ask for is that which, however eagerly it may be sought | their Authorities-Minister in Peking and after, they regard as injurious to them | Consuls in the Ports-will exert a friendly mentally, morally and physically. Now, influence, so far as they possibly can, on how does the trade in opium compare with the Chinese Rulers, to insist on protection that in Tea and Silk? It cannot surely be being given to all British subjects travelsubject of self-congratulation in the matter | ling or residing in the interior, so long as of our Cemmerce with China, that there is | they comply with the conditions of their very little difference annually between the | passports. Sometimes this has been tried, total value of the opium imported from and tried with success. A case in point India into China, and that of all the Tea | occurred not far from Peking, about two years ago, in connection with the prosecution of some native converts, made by English Protestant Missionaries. The British Consul at Tientsin asked Chung-How, the Imperial Superintendent of Foreign Trade in North China, to check the local magistrate, the Governor of Lau-ling, a city distant 170 miles from Tientsin, in his persecution of the native converts at that place. The mission there was in a very flourishing state previous to this persecution, which was carried on by the magistrate at the instigation of the native gentry. A proclamation was very kindly sent to the neighbourhood by Chung-How, and the grievance ceased. If this can be done in the case o native converts, who might be persecuted in such a variety of ways, without being able to appeal to law, we think that if perseveringly and earnestly tried in the case of British subjects, the same plan might also prove successful. At all events, if such means fail, missionaries generally, we feel confident, would rather retire to some other place than entail the horrors of war on any town. It is unjust to speak of missionaries as anxious to fall back on H. M. naval and military forces to help them in their work. We must demur to your Excellency's statement that "the British Authorities, as a rule, are neither consulted nor even advised by the Missionaries, of the steps the several independent members or bodies of diverse missions decide upon." arics, as a rule, never travel without a passport, and this has always to be applied for at the Consulates. The Consuls, therefore, have every opportunity of enquiring into the movements of Missionaries on applying for their passports, and acquainting thema lyes, if they think fit, with the steps these Missionaries intend to take. This system gives to H. M. Government all the "direct control" that is necessary over their prof (To be continued.)

A HINDOO MARRIAGE. -The native reformers have not a bad conception of the sanctity! of the press, when they select a printing office as the most appropriate place for celebrating their marriage ceremonies. It will be to their satisfaction to know that such a place was anciently denominated a "chapel." . The last Brahmist marriage in tions, on vast tracts of the Western and Calcutta took place in the office of the Inwas the son of a High Court pleader, Sree-Opium British Commerce that Protestant caste. The union was important as being Missionaries are to be restrained from pe- both a widow-marriage and an intermarsuccessful compromise between Brahmoista points of both systems. They began with a theistic hymn on the vanities of the world, followed by an introductory address In opposition to this, we maintain that in English. The contract was signed and honourable Commerce has nothing to fear attested. Next came a Rengalee speech. tant missions in the interior, can be from Protestant Missionaries, but every- congratulations and adulations after which founded on the troubles which Protestant | thing to gain. Merchants, as a rule, cannot | the orthodox Hindoo ceremonial was gone Missionaries have recently met with in make themselves understood among the through. The Civil Marriage Bill being You have directed Lord Clarendon's spe- guage. British Officials, if they do orthodox rites which they despised to their cial attention to a placard that was posted know the language, mix but little among own ritual, to ensure the legality of the

A PERSON who had been listening to a very dull address, remarked that everynions of the educated and official classes the side of morality, peace and good-will, thing went off well—especially, the and

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CAPITAL, -£1,000,000. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company are prepared to accept Marine risks and issue Policies at current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co Hongkong, June 6, 1867.

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Hongkong, March 6, 1868. ALBERT LIFE ASSURANCE

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HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Companies at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$40,000 on Buildings, or on Goods Stored therein.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, September 28, 1868. IMPÉRIAL FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$80,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hongkong, August 24, 1864. ... tf NOTICE.

IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE ROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz:— Not exceeding ten days k of the annual rate. Not exceeding 1 month. Above 1 month and not exceeding 3,... } Above 3 months and

not exceeding 6,... Above 6 months,..... the full annual ratce GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company.

Hongkong, August 13, 1869. IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

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from the Town, and their Contents. . Other Dwelling Houses used strictly as such, and their Contents,

and their Contents, . . . 1 per cent. GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Hongkong, March 6, 1865. BOMBAY INSURANCE COMPANY

FORBES & CO.'S CONSTITUENTS INSURANCE COMPANY. THE Undersigned having been appointed

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GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, February 26, 1868.

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INSURANCE COMPANY. Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament. ESTABLISHED 1809,

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Merchandise in the same. GILMAN & Co. Houghong, June 2, 1864.

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Hongkong, December 26, 1867. strictly as such, and their Contents, # per cent per annum, Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c. and their Contents,

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per annum.

GILMAN & Co. Agents North British and Mercuntile Insurance Company. Hongkong, March 9, 1866.

NOTICE. NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY. ROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged in Short Period Insurance, viz:—

Not exceeding one } } of the annual rate. Above 1 month, and not exceeding 3 bove 3 months, and

the full Annual rate. GILMAN & Co., Agents, North British and Mercantile Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868,

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON.

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for the above Company at Hongkoug, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai and Hankow, and are prepared to grant issue Policies against Fire as follows, viz. Insurances at current rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, October 14, 1868.

NOTICE. MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE

COMPANY. THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances,

Not exceeding 1 month, 1 per cent. Aboye 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, do.

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and not exmonths,.... Above 6 m'ths, The full Annual Rate. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents, Alliance Fire Assurance Company. Hongkong, April 7. 1868.

THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY.

CAPITAL, Two MILLION STERLING.

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NOTICE. THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY

THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances. Not exceeding 10 days, of the annual rate. Not exceeding 1 month, d do.

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MORGÁN, LAMBERT & Co., Agents the Queen Insurance Company. Hougkong, May 20, 1868. NOTICE.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Insurance Company are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine risks at the current Rates. Policies can be made payable at all the principal ports throughout the World. MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.,

Hongkong, November 7, 1867. LONDON

ASSURANCE CORPORATION. LIPE ASSUBANCE,

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LONDON ASSURANCE CORPO-RATION.

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ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances. Not exceeding One per cent. Month. Above One Month and not exceeding

per cent. Three Months, Above Three Months and not exceeding Per cent. Six Months, Thefull Annual Rate Above Six Months,

ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insurance Company, Hongkong, April 7, 1868. NOTICE,

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ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insur. Company of Liverpool, Hongkong, June 17, 1864.

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ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insurance Company. Hongkong, November 9, 1866.

PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO.

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PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO.

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P.USSELL & Co. Hongkong, July 6, 1866.

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Agents in Macao for the above named Company are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine Risks at the current Rates. RAYNAL & Co. Mscao, August 4, 1866.

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their own private affairs as are at present enjoyed by Commissioned Officers in the Army; and all Army Schoolmistresses will be entitled (as Army Schoolmasters of all but the First Class now are) to the same privileges, in regard to their Letters, are mioved by non-commissioned Officers and

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2nd September, at 912km. and the Post
Office will be open for the reception of
Ordinary Letters, Letters for Registration, Newspapers, Rooks, Ecc., until 8
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The latest time for posting Letters at this Cents. each half ounce is chargeable. Prepayment of the Postage is compulsory.

F. W. MITCHELL. Postmaster General, General Post Office, Hongkong, July 15, 1868.

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1.—On the 1st October next, and thenceforward Money Orders will be issued at this Office and at the Agencies thereof at Shanghai and Yokohama on all the Money Order Offices in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, for amounts not exceeding 1210. At the rate of Exchange Current for Each Mail and charged with Commission according to the following Scale, viz. ( VIII)

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2 .- No Money Order to include a fracional part of a Penny. 3.—Orders drawn in the United King dom upon Hongkong, Shanghai, and Yoko lama, will be paid at the rate of Exchange

at which Money Orders are being issued at

the time of their presentation. 4.—Alphabetical Lists of over 3,700 Money Order Offices in the United Kingdom. shewing the Counties in which they are situated, are hung up for public refer ence at this Office, and also at Shanghai and Yokohama.

5.—Applicants for Money Orders must turnish, in full, the surname, and, at less the initial of one Christian name, both the Remitter and the Payee; if the Remit ter or Payee be a Peer or a Bishop, his ordinary title will be sufficient, if a firm, the Proclamation of the 22nd Juntary, usual designation of such firm, such a mere term Mesars, such as "Mesars, Ri rington," or the name of a Company trad ing under a title which does not consist the names of the persons composing it, such "Carron Co." is inadmissible.

6.—The Remitter on stating that the Order is to be paid only through a Bank, to have the option of giving or withdrawing the name of the Payee in such case, the Order will be crossed in the same way that Cheques are commonly crossed when they are intended to be paid through a Bank.

7.—When an Order is presented through Bank, a receipt by any person will be suf icient, provided the Order be crossed with the name of the receiving Bank, and be presented by some Person known to be in he employ of such Bank.

8.—The signature of the Payee of a Money Order to be attixed to the Order in the place provided for the purpose. If the Payee be unable to write he must sign the receipt by making his mark in the presence of a Witness, who must sign his name, with is address in the presence of the Officer who pays the Order.

9.—Should the Payee of a Money Order lesire to receive payment in the Country in which the Order was issued, at some other Office than that in which the Order was oriinally drawn, the transfer will be granted For a Packet of Books, 6 cents per 4 provided the Order be inclosed to the Postmaster of the Office in which it was W. MACAULAY, Esq. | H. G. THOMSETT drawn. In such case a new Order will be G. J. HELLAND, Esq. | Esq., B.N. issued, the Commission chargeable upon which will be deducted from the amount o the new Order.

10.—In the event of a Money Order miscarrying or being lost, a duplicate will be granted on a written application from the Payee, (containing the necessary particulars, and accompanied by an addi tional Commission) to the Office where the Original Order was payable.

11.—On the receipt of a similar application, orders will be given to stop payment of a Money Order, or to renew a lapsed Order. The additional Commission in the last case will be deducted from the amount of the new Order. Lapsed Orders must be presented with the application for a new

It is hereby notified, by order of His should be corrected or that the amount of bilitating effects of the above climates will Excellency Sir Richard Graves MacDon- a Money Order should be repaid to the find in this wonderful remedy a kind of tanell that henceforward, the rates of Pos- Remitter, or that a Lapsed Order should lisman whereby they may insure a restorabe renewed for payment in the Country in | tion to robust health. Papers or Patterns of light weight sent | which the Order was originally drawn. application must be made to the Chie when forwarded via Southamptom, will be | Money Order Office of such Coultry! This application must be accompanied by an additional Commission, unless it have reference to a Lapsed Order, in which case the Commission will be deducted from the amount of the New Order.

13.—Repayment whether of an original or renewed, or a duplicate Order, will not be made to the remitter until it has been ascertained that the advice has been celled at the Office on which the Order was originally drawn.

14.—Payment of an Order must be obtained before the end of the Sixth Calendar Month after that in which it was drawn for instance, if drawn in January, payment must be obtained before the end of July, therwise the Order, will become lapsed. and a new Order (for which a second Commission, to be deducted from the amount

of the Order, will be charged) will become 15.—If an Order be not paid before the end of the Twelfth Calendar Month after It is hereby notified that, under the au- that in which it was drawn.—for instance thority of a Treasury Warrant dated the 1st | if drawn in January and not paid before May last, Superintending, or First-Class | the end of the following January-all claim Schoolmasters in the Army will, in future, to the Money will be forfeited, anless be entitled to the same privileges in regard | under peculiar circumstances, the Post to Letters sent by or addressed to them on Office of the Country in which the Order

was drawn think proper to allow it. 16.—After once paying a Money Order whomsoever presented, the paying Office will not be liable to any further claim. a wrong payment, however, be made owing to negligence on the part of any Officer the Post Office, the Postmaster General the Country or Colony in which the negligence occurs will, if he see fit, require Officer in fault to make good the loss:

17.-No Money Order will be paid unless

China and Japan addressed to Egypt, or are used by mercantile men, or others, either in the United Kingdom or at Hongon the 2nd September will be charge any of the Ports in China and Japan, and kong, Shanghai or Yokohamaj for the transmission of large sums of money, the British of Colonial Post Office, as the case may be, will consider the propriety of increasing the Commission, and will exercise Office is 8 A.M. and for Newspapers. For Letters exceeding half-an-ounce in creasing the Commission, and will exercise Books, or Patterns 7 A.M. on the 2nd weight a further rate of Twelve Cents for the power of wholly suspending for a time. the issue of Money Orders.

By Command. F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General. General Post Office, Hongkong, 22nd August, 1868.

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Author's Preface. Most persons whose avocations or studies are connected even remotely with Chines subjects are wont to confess the need of convenient manual of reference for the nurpose of determining dates according either the European or the Chinese method of computation; and a system of son for the names attributed to years. months, and other periods is also frequently a desideratum with translators and readers of Chinese literature. The comrity against fraud, and for the better works: piler of the following tables has thought accordingly, that their publication in convenient form may prove useful, although much yet remains to be done for the elabotation of comparative calendars, etc. that should leave nothing to be desired. With the exception of the Cyclical Table of Years, and the Table of Solar Terms, both of which were originally compiled by Dr. Morrison, and afterwards republished with improvements in Williams Commercial Guile, from which (with come alteration) they are now copied, the whole of the matter assembled in the following pages is for

Office, Hongkong.

Intimations.

AHINESE PILOTAG SERVICE.

GENERAL REGULATIONS WITH LOCAL RULES FOR THE

OF SWATOW

GENERAL REGULATION I I. Bye-Laws and Local Rules.

1.—Bye-Laws and Rules necessary for the better ordering of pilotage mattern at the Ports are to be drawn up by the Harbour Master in consultation with the Cor suls and Chamber of Commerce, with whon also it rests in the same way to fix the num ber of Pilots, tariff of charges, and define the limits of the Pilotage ground 2.—The number of Pilots for the Port

Swatow shall be six. 3.—The Pilotage ground for the Port Swatow shall be off Bill Islet to the lower 11s limit of the anchorage Kahchio Point 4. The rates of pilotage shall be as follows for all sized vessels between the limits of the Pilotage ground: steamers or sailing vessels, \$2,50 per foot English measurement. To Harbour Pilot for Berthing or Unberth ing, 50 cents per foot English measure

GENERAL REGULATION II. II. Pilote Individuals Eligible. The subjects, citizens or proteges of Treaty Powers shall, equally with Natives of Chine and without distinction of nationality, be eligible for appointment when vacancies has gunpowder or other combustibles on occur, by the Board of Appointment, subject to the General Regulations now issued. and the Bye-Laws to be under them enforced at the several Ports respectively.

GENERAL REGULATION III III. Board of Appointment, how to be The Board of Appointment shall consist

of the Harbour Master as President, the or a) Senior Pilot, and two persons whose names shall be drawn by lot, by the Har bour Master, from a list prepared and pub lished by the Harbour Master in consul tion with the Cousuls and Chambers of GENERAL REGULATION IV Kacancies: how to be filled up:

1. Whenever there may be a vacance amnog the Pilots, it shall be duly notified the local prints; and eight days afterward the Board of Appointment shall proceed to fill it up by a competitive examination 2. The Board may refuse to admit the examination any one who, having been a Licensed Pilot, has had his License withdrawn, and also any candidate who is unable to procure Consular Certificates as to Character, &c.

3.—The examination shall be public and gratuitous, and the vacanoies shall be given to the most competent among the candidates without distinction of nationality provided always the competency of the first on the list be not relative but absolute. 4.—The Consul concerned may in person or by deputy, be present and take part i

the examination of candidates. b.—The majority of the votes of th members of the Board shall decide the admission of candidates for Pilots' Li censes each member having one vote in the Ballot, but in the absence of the Consu concerned the Harbour Master shall have a

GENERAL REGULATION V. Pilots' Licenses: by whom to be issued. 1.—Pilots' Licenses shall be issued by the Commissioner of Customs in the name and censes issued to Pilots not being natives of China shall subsequently be vised and registered at the Consulate concerned: .2 Every Licensed Pilot shall be given a printed copy of the General Regulations and Local Rules and shall produce the same as well as his License when required. 3.—On the first of July each year every Pilot shall pay the sum of Ten Haikwan

Taels for the renewal of his License. GENERAL REGULATION VI. Apprentice Pilots; how to be taken. 1.—It shall be allowable for each Licens Pilot to take an apprentice, for whom he shall be responsible; on the application of

prentices with special certificates. 2.—When the circumstances of the Port appear to demand it the Harbour Master may authorize apprentices to act tempora- (From the "Friend of India," June 4, 1868.) rily and within certain limits, as Pilots; provided they have received certificates o competency from the Board of Appoint-

GENERAL REGULATION VII. Licensed Pilots ; to whom subordinated,

Unlicensed Piloting, &c. 1.-Licensed Pilots may carry on their business either singly or in Companies: best Chinese scholars in the East. They must pay due respect to the wishes and instructions of the Harbour Master. under whose order and control they are placed, and who is invested with power t suspend or dismiss, subject to an appeal to the Consul concerned; when the Pilot is Foreigner, the appeal to be lodged within known in India.

2.—If guilty of any misconduct for which Consular nunishment, has been inflicted, or if proved to have committed any offence against Revenue Laws, the individual concerned may be suspended or dismissed by the Harbour Master, subject to an appeal to his Consul. If a Foreigner, the appeal to be lodged within three days. 3.—Any one piloting without a License

shall be subject to prosecution before his own authorities, who will deal with the another will be proceeded against and dealt with in the same way, in addition to forfeit- considerably enhance its value. \* \* \*

4.- Any Commanding Officer employing an unlicensed person to pilot his vessel devoted to Canton, as a specimen of the will be liable to be fined in the sum of One Macao. Formers, Nine treating of

GENERAL REGULATION VIII. Pilot Boate! Regulations to be observed. Mainsail; and a flag, of which the upper its divisions, streets, and places. horizontal half shall be yellow, and the lin the introductory chapter to the notices lower green, shall be flown. Such register- of the Treaty Forts of Japan will be found a succinct history of that Empire, together the first time made accessible to general aference.

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intimations.

Master or his deputies, it will be obligatory on registered Pilot Boats to convey from place to place within the limits, employés belonging to either Customs or Barbour Master's Departments, with such stores as may be wanted for either Light-houses or

Light-ships. 2.—Every Licensed Pilot Boat shall pay a fee of Twenty Taels for renewal of License on the first of July each year.

3.—In case of a Pilot going off in an unregistered Boat, he will be authorized to carry the Pilot Boat Flag during the time he is on board; but no Pilot is authorised to cruize in an unregistered Boat, without special permission from the Harbour Mas-

4.—The owner or hirer of any unregistered Boat making use of a Pilot Flag, and not having a Licensed Pilot on board, shall be prosecuted before the authorities to whom he is amenable, or whose Flag or national Ensign he has the right to use. 5.—A registered Filot Boat is not permitted to fly the Pilot Flag, save when there is either a Licensed Filot or certificated Ap-

GENERAL REGULATION JX.

Flags to be exhibited on arrival. When nearing the anchorage the Pilot hall cause to be exhibited-A Red and White Flag (No. 3), if the

A Blue and White Flag (No. 2), if from any Foreign Port,... A Yellow and Blue (No. 10), if the vessel

A Red Swallow Tail (No. 5), if the vessel

GENERAL REGULATION X. Harbour Pilote: Vessels in Harbour.

1.—The duties of the Harbour Pilot where such exists, will be to take charge of rom a wharf or out of the anchorage, and

2.—In berthing vessels the Harbour Master will, as far as possible, meet the wishes of Commanding Officers and Consignees 3.—Vessels are to moor in accordance

4.—The Harbour Pilotage Fees payable to the Harbour Master are as follows :--Shifting a vessel's berth; taking a vessel to or from a heaving down Hulk; \$10, in

HE "TREATY PORTS OF CHINA & JAPAN," AND "NOTES AND

(From the "Straits Times," July 27, 1868.) Some time ago we had occasion to remark opon the progress that Literature as represented by the Press had made and was making in the East, and our attention has again been called to the aubject by the receipt of a Hongkong publication which deserves some notice and which we have much pleasure in introducing to the knowledge of our readers, We allude to Notes on behalf of the Chinese Government; Li- and Queries on China and Japan, published monthly by Mr Saint, the proprietor of the China Mail newspaper. This publication is well printed on good paper, and in size and shape, is very like, its well-known namesake or prototype at home, and is equally a mine containing very curious and useful information regarding the language, literature, history, manners and customs of the Chinese and in a less degree of the Japanese. It says a good deal for the extent and stability of the footing of Europeans in China, that such a publication as this should be established and conducted with

apparently successful vigour. The publication is altogether a very inwe commend it to the attention and support

This really usaful volume ["Treaty Ports China and Japan"] is intended as a

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vessels at the outer limit of the anchorage berth them, in accordance with the orders received from the Harbour Master's Department, take charge of vessels shifting bertli, going it and out of dock, or to and to assist and report to the Harbour Master's Office all matters concerning the shipping in Port, and the conservancy of the river or harbour.

and the entrance, working or clearance of vessels taking berths not assigned to them. shall be stopped by the Customs until the Harbour Master's orders are complied with. with orders received from the Harbour Master, and they are not to remove from the anchorage without his permission.

QUERIES ON CHINA AND JAPAN." EXTRACTS FROM REVIEWS.

Pilots, the Harbour Master will supply Apt teresting one, and wishing it every success, of our readers.

We acknowledge with thanks the receipt of the numbers for the current year of 'Notes and Queries," a most deserving Anglo-Chinese monthly, edited by Mr N. B. Dennys, whose Treaty Ports of China and Japan are so well known. From the names attached to the "Notes" we can see that the contributors include some of the terest is not confined to China, and it will be of valuable assistance to all scholars, who have directed their attention towards the subject of Buddhism and its literature, and generally to all who are interested in oriental antiquities. It deserves to be better

(From the "London Examiner," May

guide for travellers and residents in China and Japan, and as a book of reference for mercantile men generally. It contains an account, historical and political, of all the open ports of these countries, together with Peking, Yedo, Hongkong, and Macao. It has been carefully compiled and edited by Mr N. B. Dennys; and the elaborate maps and plans, with which the work abounds, We have thus given in outline some of the more prominent portions of the chapter

Hundred Taels by the authorities to whose the remainder of the treaty ports, we can only enumerate. The pages describing Peking, the capital, are so interesting, and contain so much that is new to European 1.—Pilot Boats shall be registered with their crews at the Harbour Master's Office, where each boat will be given a certificate and number. The words "Licensed Pilot Boat" shall, with the number, be legibly painted at the stern, and on the head of the painted at the stern, and on the head of the limited at the stern at th

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